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## Tonight... Secret Service Agent Clint Hill 7:00 pm

**Atlanta-** Former Secret Service Agent Clint Hill returns to the Carter Presidential Center **TONIGHT** at 7:00 pm. Best-known for his efforts to protect President and Mrs. Kennedy, Hill served five presidents, from Eisenhower thru Ford. Along with co-author Lisa McCubbin, Hill's story is told in his new book *Five Presidents*.

Library Journal calls it "eloquently written." With a unique insider's perspective, Hill sheds new light on the character and personality of these five presidents, revealing their humanity in the face of grave decisions.

Hill walked alongside Presidents Dwight D. Eisenhower, John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson, Richard M. Nixon, and Gerald R. Ford, seeing them through a long, tumultuous era—the Cold War; the Cuban Missile Crisis; the assassinations of John F. Kennedy, Martin Luther King, Jr., and Robert F. Kennedy; the Vietnam War; Watergate; and the resignations of Spiro Agnew and Richard M. Nixon.

Some of his stunning, never-before-revealed anecdotes include:

- -Eisenhower's reaction at Russian Prime Minister Khrushchev's refusal to talk following the U-2 incident
- -The torture of watching himself in the Zapruder film in a Secret Service training
- -Johnson's virtual imprisonment in the White House during violent anti-Vietnam protests
- -His decision to place White House files under protection after a midnight phone call about Watergate
- -The challenges of protecting Ford after he pardoned Nixon

"An Evening with Clint Hill" is free and open to the public. It will be held in the Carter Center's Cecil B. Day Chapel. ACappella Books will have copies of Five Presidents available for purchase and signing at the event Doors open at 6:00 pm. Limited Seating.

REMINDER: Friday night's program with former Col. Christropher Holshel has been canceled because of a scheduling conflict.

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